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HPD Increases Patrols for Super Bowl Weekend

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Starting Friday, February 7, the Harrisonburg Police Department will have several extra officers on patrol in lieu of Super Bowl Sunday.

HPD would like to remind Super Bowl fans to designate a sober driver, if your plans involve drinking alcohol. Public transportation and taxi cabs are also a safe alternate.

"We want all football fans to enjoy the game and safely return home afterwards," said Mary-Hope Vass, Public Information Officer and Crime Analyst with HPD. "By drinking and driving you risk not only your life, but the lives of everyone around you."

HPD partners with Virginia's Smart, Safe, and Sober Program in promoting this information. For more tips and additional information, please visit www.smartsafeandsobber.org.